Amendments to the claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A compound of formula (la):

wherein:

T is absent or represents O, S, NR¹⁷ or CR¹⁷ R¹⁸;

--- represents optional bonds;

R¹⁵ and R¹⁶ each independently represents halo, cyano, nitro, OR¹⁷, SR¹⁷, COR¹⁷, NR¹⁸COR¹⁷, CONR¹⁷R¹⁸, optionally substituted phenoxy or C₁₋₆ alkyl optionally substituted by OR¹⁷;

R¹⁷ represents H, C₁₋₆ alkyl or C₁₋₄ alkylaryl;

R¹⁸ represents H or C₁₋₆ alkyl;

m and n each independently represents 0 or an integer 1,2 or 3; with the proviso that when T is absent, R¹⁵ does not represent NR¹⁸COR¹⁷or CONR¹⁷R¹⁸ in the ortho position; and physiologically functional derivatives thereof.

- 2. (Cancelled).
- 3. A method for the treatment of a human or animal subject suffering from or susceptible to an autoimmune disorder or an inflammatory condition which method comprises administering to said human or animal subject an effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1.
- 4. (Cancelled).
- 5. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound as claimed in claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier therefor, and optionally one or more other therapeutic agents.